TENNESSEE GENERAL ASSEMBLY FISCAL REVIEW COMMITTEE



FISCAL NOTE

HB 712 - SB 1111

March 4, 2011

SUMMARY OF BILL: Authorizes a juvenile court in any Tennessee county to exercise temporary jurisdiction over a matter currently before a different juvenile court for the purpose of issuing a temporary order in a dependency, neglect, or abuse case. Requires the court exercising temporary jurisdiction immediately to notify the court in the original jurisdiction regarding the status of the child and to coordinate with that court a resolution that protects the best interest of the child, including the necessary duration of the temporary order.

ESTIMATED FISCAL IMPACT:

NOT SIGNIFICANT

Assumption:

• Authorizing limited temporary jurisdiction for any Tennessee juvenile court may result in a temporary shift in venue of certain juvenile cases but will not result in a significant increase in juvenile dependency, neglect, or abuse cases state-wide.

CERTIFICATION:

The information contained herein is true and correct to the best of my knowledge.

James W. White, Executive Director

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